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For: FIBRE CHANNEL SWITCHING SYSTEM

LETTER REGARDING RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 C.F.R. §1.121) dated June 28, 2005, Applicant resubmit the enclosed Request for Continued Examination and Amendment for reconsideration. The enclosed RCE and Amendment has been modified only insofar as a clean version of the Amendments to the Claims including a complete listing of all claims is provided. Please refer to our RCE and Amendment filed on May 24, 2005, for all enclosed attachments referred to therein.

The undersigned called Legal Instruments Examiner Gordon and Examiner Ryman regarding this matter and would like to thank them for their assistance in this matter. If any issues remain with regard to this submission or if the Examiner feels that an interview might facilitate prosecution of the

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Sir:

In response to the Decision On Appeal by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences mailed on March 24, 2005, Applicants file herewith an RCE of the above referenced application. In conjunction with this request, please enter the following amendment:

Amendment to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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